

20
1700

1754

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: RAJAKUMAR et al. Examiner: Unknown
Serial No.: 09/720,098 Group Art Unit: Unknown
Filed: December 20, 2000 Docket: 3164.141USWO
Title: PROCESS FOR CHLORINE RECOVERY



CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on March 22, 2001.

By: 
Kristen Smith

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

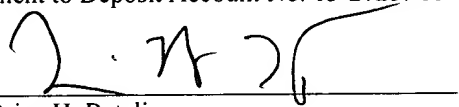
Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, 13 Reference(s)
- ☒ Return postcard

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.
P.O. Box 2903, Minneapolis, MN 55402-0903
612.332.5300

By: 
Name: Brian H. Batzli
Reg. No.: 32,960
BHB/kas



RECEIVED
APR 04 2001
TC 1700



09/720,098

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	RAJAKUMAR et al.	Examiner:	Unknown
Serial No.:	09/720,098	Group Art Unit:	Unknown
Filed:	December 20, 2000	Docket No.:	3164.141USWO
Title:	PROCESS FOR CHLORINE RECOVERY		

#6
#5.6.2129
RECEIVED

APR 04 2001

TC 1700

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on March 22, 2001.

By: *Kristen Smith*
Name: Kristen Smith

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. §1.97(b))

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on-the-merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2), a copy of each document or other information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided.

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicants do not represent that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

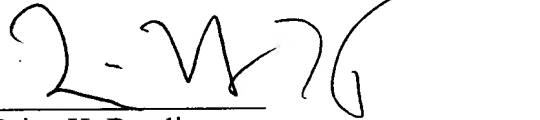
Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

Respectfully submitted,

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.
P.O. Box 2903
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-0903
(612) 332-5300

Dated: March 22, 2001

By 
Brian H. Batzli
Reg. No. 32,960

BHB/kas